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Applicant(s) : David R. WAGNER et al  
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For : EXTRACTION PROCESS FOR RECOVERY OF  
ACRYLIC ACID  
Art Unit : 1625  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Sir:

1. This is a petition to extend the period of time one (1) month for filing a response to the Office Action dated July 18, 2003.

2. Applicant is:

[ ] a small entity  
[X] other than small entity

3. <u>Extension</u> <u>(months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than</u> <u>small entity</u>	<u>Fee for</u> <u>small entity</u>
[X] one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
[ ] two months	\$ 420.00	\$ 210.00
[ ] three months	\$ 950.00	\$ 475.00
[ ] four months	\$1,480.00	\$ 740.00
[ ] five months	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00

Fee \$110.00

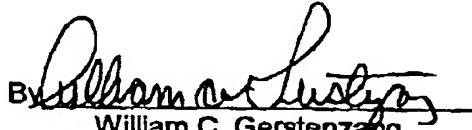
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4. A Rule 111 Amendment is filed herewith.
5. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted


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